

FOOD LAW IS MORE DRASTIC MEXICO TO REMAIN NEUTRAL

COUNTY IS READY FOR REGISTRATION

Plans for Enrollment of Those Subject to Conscription Act Speeded by Setting of the Date

Registration in Charge of County Sheriff and County Auditor, All men from 21 to 30 Must Register

SOME MILITARY
REGISTRATION FACTS

June 5 has been proclaimed by President Wilson as registration day.
Registration stations will be open from 7 a. m. until 9 p. m.
Absentees or sick persons must register either by mail or through representatives.
Every man between the ages of 21 and 30 must register.
If you are 20 years, 11 months and 29 days old on June 5 you are not required to register.
You must be 21 years old on June 5 to register.
If you are 30 years, 11 months and 29 days old on June 5 you must register.
Complete lists of the registrations must be published within five days after register day.
Police officers have the right to require any person to exhibit his registration card.
Registration cards will be given to all those who register.
Persons failing to register are liable to arrest and prosecution.
Registrars must take oaths that they will perform their work faithfully.
Only one person can approach the registration table at a time.
Men expecting to be out of the city on June 5 should make application to the county auditor at once for a registration card, so that it can be mailed in time to reach the required officer on registration day.

With the announcement by President Woodrow Wilson that June 5 has been designated as military registration day, Sheriff Claus A. Theorin and County Auditor C. W. Mahlum have about completed the preparatory work for registration.
Registrars have been appointed and polling places designated.
Checking of all names will begin immediately after the stations are closed at 9 o'clock June 5, and the complete lists must be published within five days after registration day, the rules state.
When a man is absent from his home precinct he can register by going to the county auditor of the city in which he is sojourning, or to the city clerk if he is sojourning in Duluth and making out his registration card there. The auditor or the city clerk will then give him a card and he is obliged to send that to the registrar of his home precinct, and get it there by June 5.
The registration certificates are granted only by the registrars of the home precinct and are not given out by the auditor. In order to receive this he must send an addressed stamped envelope.
The county auditor is prepared now to take care of anybody in his jurisdiction and the sooner they apply the sooner they can be accommodated and the more time they will have to get it to their home precinct.
With the exception of three named in the list of registrars, all registration is to be done without expense. In addition to Sheriff Theorin, County Auditor Mahlum, Dr. Walter Court-

Naval Stations are Trying to Run Down Submarine Sighting

(By United Press)
Portland, Maine, May 22—The naval stations are endeavoring to run down the reports of sighting submarines.

Murder and Assault Negro Confesses is Burned at Stake

(By United Press)
New Orleans, May 22—Eli Parsons, a negro, was burned to death at the stake by a mob at Pottscamp, Miss., after confessing to killing Antoinette Rappal after assaulting her.
If the mob finds Dewitt Ford, one of the negroes accused of assaulting and killing the girl, he will be burned at the stake as soon as the third brute is found, a double burning having been planned. Ford was arrested when the girl's body was found but was released for lack of evidence.

Shell not Defective Accident Unexplained

(By United Press)
Washington, May 22—The shells on board the Mongolia and St. Louis were not defective as supposed, and they had not been tampered with, which makes the accident unexplainable, the ordnance chief reports to Secretary Daniels. The shells were made during the Spanish-American war and put on the armed merchantmen, the chief reports.

General Congress Called June 14th

(By United Press)
Petrograd, May 22—A general congress of the Soldiers and Workmen has been called for June 14 to discuss the war, peace and finances.

Atlanta Fire Under Control

(By United Press)
Atlanta, Ga., May 22—The conflagration which destroyed over 40 blocks and was fanned by a high wind progressing unchecked, has finally been brought under control.

Agree to Oppose All Censorship

(By United Press)
Washington, May 22—The house republicans have agreed to oppose all censorship of the provisions of the administration spy bill when the conference report on the measure is made to the house.

Food Bill Redraft is More Drastic Than the Original

(By United Press)
Washington, May 22—The redraft of the administration food bill is more drastic than the original and is to be introduced in the house today, President Wilson being given every conceivable power to control the food of the country under the new bill.

Agrees to Deduce Second Class Rates in Revenue Bill

(By United Press)
Washington, May 22—The house ways and means committee has agreed to reduce the second class rate proposed in the revenue bill proper, the rates to be 1 and 1/2 cents for the first two zones to 8 cents for the last. The bill proposed two cents and up.

Commission to Regulate Use Freight Cars

(By United Press)
Washington, May 22—The senate has passed the bill authorizing the interstate commerce commission to regulate the use of freight cars during the war.

Temperature was Almost Freezing Crops Uninjured

(By United Press)
St. Paul, May 22—The temperature here was almost freezing, but crops at this point and throughout the state were not injured according to the army crop expert at the university farm.

Wisconsin Governor Kills Referendum Vote on Prohibition

(By United Press)
Madison, May 22—Gov. Philipp killed the bill providing for a referendum vote on prohibition by vetoing it five minutes before the time limit expired which would have made it a law.

Lisbon Food Riots Causes Life Loss

(By United Press)
Madrid, May 22—Ten persons are reported to have been killed in a food riot at Lisbon on Sunday, and dispatches say the riots are spreading throughout Portugal.

WILSON CALLS ON BALFOUR

Discusses Negotiations Between the Two Governments.

Washington, May 22.—President Wilson called on Foreign Secretary Balfour at the British mission and spent nearly three-quarters of an hour with him. The call was to discuss further the negotiations between the two governments.
The president telephoned his desire to see Mr. Balfour, who replied he would come to the White House. President Wilson, however, said he would see Mr. Balfour at the mission and immediately motored there.
Members of the mission were greatly disappointed to find it necessary to abandon their trip to Chicago and other points in the Middle West. The state department expressed the desire the commission pass all of its remaining time in this country in Washington to complete pending organizations.

GEORGE CREEL.
Writer Who Now Heads
U. S. Censorship Board.



Photo by American Press Association.

Technically there is as yet no censorship in the United States, but Mr. Creel and his associates are nevertheless bottling up much information. This is the newest picture of Mr. Creel.

A Million a Day for Seven Days for Liberty Loan

(By United Press)
Minneapolis, May 22—The local Liberty Loan has reached practically \$7,000,000 on the seventh day after the canvass for the sale of war bonds began in this city.

The treasury department has ordered drafts of its plan sent to all federal reserve banks for guidance of other communities.

Chief Eagle Horse Joins the Army and Navy



Chief Eagle Horse is one of the strongest recruiting agents Uncle Sam has. He has been in New York since war was declared and he has daily made speeches asking men to enlist. In this photograph he is shown joining hands with a private of the United States army and a seaman of the Atlantic fleet.

National Suicide for Mexico to Join Against the U. S.

(By United Press)
Washington, May 22—"It would be national suicide for Mexico to even consider aligning with the European powers against the United States," Ambassador Bonillas, from Mexico, says. The Mexican ports are to remain open to all belligerents as were those of the United States before we entered the war. Mexico is prepared to turn out copper, oil and metals in large quantities.

Boy Scouts Will Canvass American Homes for Loan

(By United Press)
New York, May 22—232,000 boy scouts are to canvass 10,000,000 American homes for the Liberty Bond Loan beginning June 1.

Sixteen Register Selective Draft Law as Officers

(By United Press)
St. Paul, May 22—Sixteen men have registered under the selective draft law as officers of the city clerk, the first in the city.

National Guard Needs 2,238 to Fill the Quota

(By United Press)
St. Paul, May 22—The Minnesota national guard needs 2,238 more men to be at full war strength.

Declined Position

Madison, May 22—Dr. Charles McCarthy, head of the Wisconsin reference library, has declined the position of advisor to the Chinese government.

NEW COUNCIL HAS ITS FIRST SESSION

Salary Schedule is Set---Pres. F. M. Koop Announced his Committee Appointments

Jitney Ordinance Adopted---Paving Bids not Opened, Public Meeting of Property Owners Called

German Losses Are Over \$15,000 Killed Since Last Sunday

(By United Press)
With the French Armies, May 22—Germany's losses since Sunday are over 15,000 killed, wounded and missing, the French headquarters figure. The French have gained all the important points that dominate the crest of Moronvillers.

Germany Far From Beaten, Laborites Tell Trade People

(By United Press)
Chicago, May 22—"Germany is far from beaten now, so don't make the mistake the British did and think you are in for a short war," is what the British laborites tell the Chicago trade unionists.

Berlin Newspaper Predicts Russia Soon Accept Peace

(By United Press)
Copenhagen, May 22—The prediction that Russia will soon accept separate peace with Germany is made by the Berlin Vossische Zeitung, and it editorially urges Germany to state the peace terms as nearly as possible and also to offer Russia financial aid after the war.

Russia is Planning Call for Revision of Ideals of Allies

(By United Press)
New York, May 22—Russia is planning a call for the revision of the ideals of the allies, according to a Petrograd dispatch to the New York Times.

Adolph Hoffman is Refused Passports to the Conference

Amsterdam, May 22—Germany has granted all delegates to the Stockholm conference passports excepting Adolf Hoffman, radical socialist.

TO BE DEPORTED AFTER WAR

Offer of 500,000 Coolies for Farm Work in United States.
San Francisco, May 22.—Announcement was made by the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent association, familiarly known as the Chinese Six Companies, that it had sent a telegram to the council of national defense offering to introduce Chinese labor into the United States to replace farm workers that go to war.
The association, it was stated, is ready to bring 500,000 or more coolies, agreeing to deport them when their services no longer are required.

SALARIES SET BY THE COUNCIL

City clerk \$90 month.
City attorney \$65 month.
City treasurer \$35 month.
Chairman Board of Health \$25 month.
City Street Commissioner \$3.50 per day payable for actual time employed.
City Assessor \$500 per year.
Chief of Police \$85 per month.
Night Captain of Police \$75 per month.
Night Patrolman \$70 per month.
Sanitary Police \$60 per month.
Fire Truck Driver \$70 per month.
Such compensation shall take effect from May 1, 1917, and each officer who shall not have served the full month, such compensation shall be rated per diem in proportion to the above amount.

Council committees appointed by President Fred M. Koop and announced at the Monday night meeting were:

Finance and Taxes—Jacob Strickler, Andrew Anderson and Frank G. Hall.
Purchasing, Printing and City Property—Frank G. Hall, Lewis H. Stallman and Fremond Turcotte.
Streets, Sidewalks and Bridges—Fremond Turcotte, Jacob Strickler and K. A. Gustafson.
Health, Sewerage and Police—W. J. Lyons, Ole Anderson and Lewis H. Stallman.
Fire and Water—Lewis H. Stallman, W. J. Lyons and Andrew Anderson.
Electric Lights—Andrew Anderson, Jacob Strickler and Clarence A. Olson.
Committee on Relief of Poor—K. A. Gustafson, Ole Anderson, Clarence A. Olson, W. J. Lyons and Frank G. Hall.
A petition was presented for a sewer along upon South Seventh street from Laurel to Norwood signed by C. Katz, Brainerd Lodge of Elks per C. D. Johnson, C. E. Peabody, W. L. Taylor for E. J. Longyear Co., Christ Schwabe, L. P. Johnson and J. E. Brady. It was referred to the sewer committee to report at the next meeting.
Paving matters were discussed and the bids on the 17 blocks were not opened and were held over. It was decided to call a meeting of property owners affected Wednesday evening, May 23, at 9 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce at which time new points will be discussed and a thorough understanding arrived at in the matter and satisfactory especially to the property owners who pay or have paid for the improvements in their taxes.
E. Olson, a representative of Warren Brothers, Boston, Mass., spoke on bitulithic paving. He said Brainerd macadam streets were in poor condition and little, if any repair work had ever been done on them.
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RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND**National League.**

New York 4, Pittsburgh 3.
Cincinnati 2, Boston 1.
Philadelphia 4, Chicago 3.
St. Louis 6, Brooklyn 2.

American Association.

Louisville 2, Indianapolis 0.
Northern League.
Warren 0, Fargo-Moorhead 8.

In every parting there is an image of death.—George Eliot.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:
Fair and continued cool tonight, probably light frost southeast portion. Wednesday fair and warmer west and south portions.
May 21, maximum 65, minimum 29.
May 22, minimum during the night 22.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Visits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Both phones. Northwest 74, Automatic 274.

For spring water phone 264. C. A. Montgomery of Motley was in the city.

Nettleton sells moderate priced homes for little more than rent. Mrs. O. W. Merwin is visiting her sister in Duluth.

Miss Alvera Larson went to the Twin Cities this afternoon.

Miss Anna M. Nelson of Pillager was visiting in Brainerd today.

Money to loan on improved farms or city property. Inquire of E. C. Bane. 297tf

Mrs. W. A. Fleming is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. W. Richards of Crosby.

Mrs. Charles Fallquist of Duluth was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Bredenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Vanek were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilson in Bay Lake.

Mrs. Edward Mooney, visiting her husband in the city, has returned to Minneapolis.

Nettleton's "Liberty" lot sale, \$75 or \$100—\$1 cash, \$1 a week, or \$2 cash, \$2 each day. 296tf

Con O'Brien and Ezra Smith motored to Boy River this morning, 70 miles distant.

Miss Lillie Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Nelson, is visiting her sister in St. Paul.

Purity Ice Cream Co. Both Phones, N.W. 727, Tri-State 6268. If Grover Koop came from Jamestown, N. D., today and went to Walker in the afternoon.

Otto Peterson of Minneapolis who bought the Jones farm at Sylvan, was in Brainerd Monday.

Boats now running between Deerwood and Crosby meeting all N. P. trains at Deerwood. 11

G. W. Lucas, an employee of the Ottetall Power Co., went to Appleton, Wis., this afternoon.

U. O. F. dance at Elks hall Monday evening, May 28. Admission 25c. 298tf

Rev. C. M. Holmberg, pastor of the Swedish Methodist church, will go to Fleming Lake next Friday.

Dispatch wants do the business and their cost is very small. Either telephone, Northwest 74 or Automatic 274.

BEST THEATRE

TODAY AND TOMORROW—

Clara Kimball Young in

"Foolish Virgin"

EMPRESS THEATRE

TODAY—Complete Change

TOMORROW—Complete Change

W. H. Gemmell, general manager of the Minnesota & International railway, went to St. Paul this afternoon.

C. W. Koering has bought a new seven passenger 60 horsepower Chandler and has secured the agency for the same.

Mrs. W. L. Taylor and baby have gone to Iron River, Mich., where they will visit her sister, Mrs. W. L. Woodworth, during the summer.

Scared by a passing team, John Koop's delivery team, ran away. No damage was done. The team is owned by the Front street grocer.

Regular Meeting**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

Wednesday Evening, 8 O'clock

Followed at 9 P. M. by meeting Property Owners called by the Council regarding 17 blocks paving.

Barney Knudsen, employed at the office of W. L. Taylor of the E. J. Longyear Co., has been transferred to New Castle, Wyoming, by the company.

Attorney W. H. Crowell has returned from Pillager where he defended a man accused of a statutory offense. The court discharged the defendant.

Brainerd is to be reinforced for next Sunday's game with Ironton here. Diedrich may be placed on third and Gourd, it is reported, will probably pitch.

Miss Bertha Frederick accompanied her father, August Frederick, as far as Staples today as he returned home to Perham. He had been her guest for a month.

Alfred Lans of Wrenshall, interested in farm and mineral lands, was on the Cuyuna range with John Wahl of Duluth and visited Manganese, Brainerd and Barrows.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Gray have returned from their wedding trip to the coast and will make their home at 106 Pine street northeast. Mrs. Gray was formerly Miss Beatrice Osborne.

From 300 to 400 people were at Mille Lacs lake Sunday fishing from the docks and some good catches were recorded. So great was the influx, some 75 cars, that there were not enough boats to go around.

The fire department was called at 9 o'clock this morning to the barn in the rear of the residence of C. W. Koering where scattered hay outside was on fire. Mr. Koering had it extinguished in a short time.

Edwin Harris Bergh, director of the Brainerd Symphony orchestra and the Brainerd Choral club, spoke Tuesday afternoon to the high school pupils on the program to be given at the Friday evening concert.

For Sale. Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Prices right. Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 241tf

Enlistments reported by Private Raymond Lowery today were Bruce R. Eaton and Lloyd H. Milender of Pillager. This brings the total at the local recruiting station for May to 37. Of this number 23 were Brainerd men.

An informal meeting of the water and light board was held Monday evening and the water situation discussed with J. P. Anderson, superintendent of the shops, and Mechanical Engineer Bohan of the Northern Pacific railway company.

Last night's Dispatch carried 11 help wanted, 8 for rent, 12 for sale, 7 miscellaneous. The quantity of bona fide want ads carried by the Dispatch, not a dead line in the list, is an index to the value of the Dispatch as an advertising medium.

The Travelers Insurance Co. acknowledged receipt of the special blotters which G. W. Chadbourne, their Brainerd agent evolved shortly after the prompt payment of the Coffrain accident claim of \$3,000. In a letter Harlan M. Walker of Minneapolis compliments Mr. Chadbourne on the advertising, which makes one of the best ads of the Travelers seen in this vicinity.

Sheriff Claus A. Theorin has returned from Red Wing where he took young Floyd Enemark, an incorrigible, and placed him in the training school. On the way to St. Paul the sheriff saw Redenbaugh and the latter's wife. Redenbaugh, accused of murder, appeared light hearted. A Minneapolis Journal man snapped his picture. As he left his wife Redenbaugh said: "All right, I'll see you again in a few days."

The cost of the first Mexican war to the United States, exclusive of pensions, was from \$130,000,000 to \$160,000,000.

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BUSH SIZES UP BAKER'S WEAKNESS

Philadelphia, May 22.—The Athletics must have J. Franklin Baker's number. In the game won by the Mackmen recently, Joe Bush twice passed Walter Pipp purposely in order to take a chance on Baker.

On each occasion Baker was an easy out. Pipp has been hitting the ball hard this year, but it looked over-daring to do what Bush did. Press box sharps gasped when they saw it done. The best defense for Bush and the Athletics is that it worked out.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Bids for city printing and city depositories will be received, to be opened at the next regular meeting of the council June 4, 1917.

ANTON MAHLUM, City Clerk.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES**Duluth Wheat and Flax.**

Duluth, May 21.
Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$3.13; No. 1 Northern, \$3.12; No. 2 Northern, \$3.07. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.42.

St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, May 21.
Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$3.16@3.21; No. 1 Northern, \$3.06@3.11; No. 2 Northern, \$2.96@3.06; corn, \$1.61@1.63; oats, 68½¢@69½¢; barley, \$1.16@1.42; rye, \$2.33@2.36; flax, \$3.43.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, May 21.
Wheat—July, \$2.33; Sept., \$2.10. Corn—July, \$1.45; Sept., \$1.47. Oats—July, 64¢; Sept., 56¢. Pork—July, \$38.30. Butter—Creameries, 58c. Eggs—21½¢@32½¢. Poultry—Fowls, 22½¢.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, May 21.
Cattle—Receipts, 3,300; steers, \$7.00@12.00; cows and heifers, \$8.00@10.50; calves, \$6.50@13.50. Hogs—Receipts, 9,300; range, \$15.55@15.90. Sheep—Receipts, 100; lambs, \$9.00@15.50; ewes, \$8.00@14.00.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, May 21.
Wheat—May, \$3.12; July, \$2.61; Sept., \$2.00. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$3.16@3.21; No. 1 Northern, \$3.06@3.11; No. 2 Northern, \$2.96@3.06; No. 3 Northern, \$2.81@2.96; No. 3 yellow corn, \$1.61@1.63; No. 3 white oats, 68½¢@69½¢; flax, \$3.43.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, May 21.
Choice timothy, \$19.50; No. 1 timothy, \$19.00; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$18.00@18.75; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$18.00@18.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$18.00@18.75; choice upland, \$19.50; No. 1 upland, \$19.00@19.50; No. 1 midland, \$17.00@17.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$23.00@23.75.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 21.
Cattle—Receipts, 21,900; steers, \$9.50@13.65; cows and heifers, \$6.60@11.50; calves \$10.00@14.00. Hogs—Receipts, 41,000; light, \$15.10@16.25; mixed, \$15.65@16.45; heavy, \$15.65@16.50; rough, \$15.65@15.80; pigs, \$10.50@14.50. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; native, \$12.75@15.75; lambs, \$15.75@20.40.

There is an old adage which runs, "Who wears a bloodstone, be life short or long, will meet all danger brave and wise and strong."

Wise is the man who declines to take his troubles too seriously.

Japan has a wireless system which is extensive and complete.

COUNTY IS READY FOR REGISTRATION

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ney, and others, the board was assisted by Miss Esther Theorin, Mrs. Ella H. Polk and Mrs. James H. Alderman who did all of the typewriting of letters, etc., without compensation.

The board of registration of Crow Wing county is composed of Sheriff Claus A. Theorin, County Auditor C. W. Mahlum and Surgeon Walter Courtney, the latter being appointed by the sheriff, there being no county physician, all having offered their services without compensation. The following persons have been appointed by said board to serve in the precincts named, and all are without compensation excepting where especially mentioned otherwise. The precinct is named first, then the location of the polling place, followed by the names of the registrars with their postoffice address:

City of Brainerd, First Ward—City hall, Louis F. Hohman, Brainerd. Second Ward—Congdon's paint shop, 617 Main street, Carl Zapffe, Brainerd.

Third Ward—205 N. E. Kindred street, Hugo A. Kaatz, Brainerd. Fourth Ward—Hose house, W. T. McCloskey, Brainerd.

Fifth Ward—Office of E. J. Longyear Co., W. L. Taylor, Brainerd.

Village of Deerwood—Village hall, J. O. Hage, Deerwood.

Village of Cuyuna—Village hall, C. W. Peterson, Cuyuna.

Village of Crosby—Crosby jail, Howard Crosby, Crosby.

Village of Ironton—Village hall, L. T. Gavin, Ironton.

Village of Jenkins—Cement room north of depot, Leo E. Walton, Jenkins.

Village of Manganese—Peterson's hotel, George Phelps, Manganese.

Village of Pequot—Village hall, Benn A. Wagner, Pequot.

Town of Allen—School House Sec. 25, N. A. Nelson, Emily.

Town of Bay Lake—Residence of Edmund F. Gross, Edmund F. Gross, Deerwood.

Town of Baxter—School House Dist. 36, A. R. Cass, Brainerd, Rt. 4.

Town of Crow Wing—First State bank of Barrows, H. A. Peterson, Barrows.

Town of Daggett Brook—School house Sec. 9, Harvey Britton, Brainerd, Route 1.

Town of Dean Lake—Residence of Robert Terry, Robert Terry, Aitkin, L. P. Route.

Town of Deerwood—Fruit Growers hall village of Deerwood, Fred J. Winquist, Deerwood, Route 1.

Town of Emily—Office of A. Frank Anderson, Emily, A. Frank Anderson, Emily.

Town of Fairfield—Office of F. L. Lingwall, Sec. 10, F. L. Lingwall, Emily.

Town of Ft. Ripley—Tucker's hall, J. J. Tucker, Fort Ripley.

Town of Garrison—School house in Dist. No. 22, S. A. Varner, Brainerd. Officer with and polling place without charge.

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Town of Maple Grove—Town hall, Sec. 15, Geo. B. Cornish, Brainerd.

Town of Mission—School House Dist. 60, H. L. Long, Osage.

Town of Nokay Lake—Residence of T. C. Pointon, T. C. Pointon, Brainerd, Route 2.

Town of Oak Lawn—Town hall, Geo. W. Keough, Brainerd, Route 3.

Town of Perry Lake—Sturte school house, Leroy Maxfield, Cuyuna.

Town of Pelican—School Dist. No. 52 school house, A. P. Schulberg, Pequot.

Town of Platte Lake—Residence of Geo. M. Stanley, Geo. M. Stanley, Dykeman.

Town of Ross Lake—Residence of Perry Gustafson Sec. 18, Wm. J. Keeler, Aitkin.

Town of Rabbit Lake—School house Dist. 34, W. H. Gear, Aitkin.

Town of St. Mathias—Office of town clerk 9-43-31, Eugene Vellelette, Fort Ripley.

Town of Sibley—Town hall, Chas. B. Crockett, Pequot.

Town of Smiley—Murray's cottage, Niswaa, D. C. Henderson, Niswaa.

Town of Timothy—Residence of S. T. Jackson, C. S. Mitchell, Pine River. With pay.

Town of Watertown—Cross Lake postoffice, H. A. Cochran, Cross Lake. Officer with and polling place without pay.

Town of Wolford—Wolford postoffice, Wolford.

Unorganized Precinct of Kennedy—Gordon school house Dist. No. 28—James Sorenson, Merrifield.

Precinct of Davenport—School house Dist. No. 29, C. A. Krech, Brainerd.

Precinct of Lietner—School house Dist. No. 43, F. J. Stropp, Merrifield.

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Increased Sugar Output

Washington, May 22.—With the world's stock of sugar being rapidly depleted the department of agriculture appealed to manufacturers and farmers to increase the production of sugar. Prospects are, according to the department's experts, that in many portions of the area devoted to sugar beets in this country the acreage will exceed that of any previous year.

Of course you needn't take our advice if you don't want to, but if you live in a glass house you ought to build a high board fence around it.—Dallas News.

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Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder

Died of Premature Old Age!

(BY V. M. PIERCE, M. D.)

How many times we hear of comparatively young persons passing away when they should have lived to be 70 or 80 years of age. This fatal work is usually attributed to the kidneys, as, when the kidneys degenerate, it causes auto-intoxication. The more injurious the poisons passing thru the kidneys, the quicker will those noble organs be degenerated, and the sooner they decay.

It is thus the wisest policy, to prevent premature old age and promote long life, to lighten the work of the kidneys. This can be done by drinking plenty of pure water all day long, and occasionally taking a little Anurie before meals. This can be obtained at almost any drug store. Anurie will overcome such conditions as rheumatism, dropsical swellings, cold extremities, scalding and burning urine and sleeplessness due to constant arising from bed at night.

WELL-KNOWN MINNESOTA WOMAN SPEAKS.

St. Paul, Minn.—"I had been troubled with disordered kidneys for about two years. My back ached terribly, side pained, and I had frequent stools. I let it run on until just recently, when I read of Dr. Pierce's Anurie. I have taken the Anurie but a short time, but am now feeling fine. My side and back have stopped paining, the stools are not so frequent, and I sleep well at night now, which I couldn't do before. I certainly advise anyone suffering from kidney disorders to use Anurie."—Mrs. L. G. FILLAN, 164 E. Congress Street.

PLAN TWO MEATLESS MEALS

And Use the Money Saved to Take the Master of the House to a Real Treat Friday Night

Thomas Tapper said, "Every community has in its adult, prosy, complacent citizens a lot of beautiful music—but it is locked up in their business bound souls, tucked out of sight in their care-worn, work-worried hearts."

Let every man, woman and child, who has not heard the Brainerd Symphony and Choral club, make an effort to find a seat in Park opera house May 25th.

You industrial worker! You business men! A few years ago we went to hear the Kickapoo Indian medicine man—we may now hear our rising generation in our own symphony and our own Choral club rendering really beautiful music.

It is only within three years that women have been admitted to symphony orchestras in any other capacity than harpists.

Prof. Bergh meets the future half way. Ladies, plan two meals without meat and invite the master of the house to a real treat Friday evening, Park opera house.

Pearson-Johnson

The marriage of Oscar A. Pearson of Woodrow and Miss Ida M. Johnson of Brainerd was celebrated this morning at 10 o'clock at the parsonage of the Swedish Lutheran church, Rev. Eloff Carlson officiating.

The bride was beautifully gowned in a dress of white trimmed with rare lace. She carried white roses. The bridesmaid was Miss Anna Johnson, also dressed in white, and carrying white carnations. The best man was Elnord Schon.

After a wedding trip to Swanville where they will be guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Johnson, they will make their home in Brainerd.

The Dispatch joins their many friends in wishing them unbounded happiness and prosperity.

German Evangelical Aid

The Ladies' Aid society of the German Evangelical church will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hugo Kaatz, 119 Second avenue Northeast. All visitors are welcome.

Marriage Licenses

May 21—Frank Bernard Gertz and Miss Leona Torker.
May 21—Oscar Alexander Pearson and Miss Matilda Johnson.

Ladies' Aid Peoples' Church

The Ladies' Aid of the Peoples' Congregational church will be entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. L. E. Cameron at the church. All the ladies are invited to be present.

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A cough that racks and weakens is dangerous. It undermines your health and thrives on neglect. Relieve it at once with Dr. King's New Discovery. This soothing balsam remedy heals the throat, loosens the phlegm, its antiseptic properties kill the germ and the cold is quickly broken up. Children and grown-ups alike find Dr. King's New Discovery pleasant to take as well as effective. Have a bottle handy in your medicine chest for gripe, croup and all bronchial affections. At druggists, 50c.—Adv. tsw

WOMAN'S REALM

WOMEN PLAN PATRIOTIC WORK

(Contributed)

"The women of Minneapolis have worked as hard as the men in this Liberty Bond campaign," said Joseph Chapman after his lecture at the Chamber of Commerce last evening.

What are the women of Brainerd doing? Isn't it about time we got started in some sort of patriotic work?

If you think so, come to Library hall next Thursday afternoon and let us make plans for doing practical work. Dr. Effie McCullom Jones will tell us what the women are doing in other places, and we will have a report on the progress of the Red Cross work in Brainerd, and from the committee on vegetable canning. Plans are under way to have demonstrations in preserving the summer vegetables for winter use. If you have a garden, come and learn how to make the best use of its products. If you haven't a garden, come and learn why you should plant one.

Then go to the Chamber of Commerce Thursday evening and let Dr. Jones fire your hearts with patriotism. Let the men who are trying to sell Liberty Bonds come to this meeting. They may learn how to arouse patriotism to a pitch where the bonds will sell themselves.

CRYSTAL WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Trommald Pleasantly Surprised by Friends on Monday Evening

A happy company of the old friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Trommald very pleasantly surprised them at their home on Seventh street north last night, the occasion being their fifteenth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Trommald who were out during the early part of the evening, returned to find their spacious home in possession of the guests but they rose to the occasion, gave everybody a cordial welcome and "all went merrily as marriage bells."

Beautiful gifts of cut glass and silver were presented to this popular couple by the guests who also brought with them the wedding feast. This was served from the table adorned with cut flowers which had been sent in with congratulatory messages earlier in the day.

The guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Mons Mahlum, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Mysen, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Opsahl, Mrs. and Miss Conrad, Miss Louise Barrett, Dr. W. A. Erickson and A. F. Sorenson.

At a late hour the guests departed after being assured by the genial hosts that they would be welcome to repeat such surprises at any time, wedding anniversaries not being necessary for such delightful evenings. In a home where the latch-string is always out and old friends always more than welcome. With the good-nights came the repeated congratulations and the cordial wishes that Mr. and Mrs. Trommald might see their golden wedding.

Ladies Guild

The Ladies Guild of St. Paul's church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Important business is to be transacted and delegates chosen to attend the meeting at Duluth. Please bring materials and come prepared to work on the rugs. Mrs. Westfall and Mrs. Peacock will entertain.

Presbyterian Aid

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Risk and be entertained by Mesdames Risk, Charles Nelson and Louis Nelson.

HEINZE LOSES COPPER SUIT FOR \$15,000,000.

Washington, May 22.—Arthur P. Heinze, representing the Heinze copper interests, by a supreme court decision, lost proceedings for \$15,000,000 treble damages under the Sherman anti-trust law against the Amalgamated Copper company, of the Lewisohn interests. William Rockefeller and others, charged with attempted monopoly of the Montana industry. The court sustained dismissal of the Heinze suit.

Hunger Riots at Lisbon.

Lisbon, May 22.—The scarcity of bread and potatoes has caused an outbreak of rioting here. Mobs attacked several stores, but order was restored by the police.

Boys will be Boys Is no Longer True

BY MARGARET MASON.
(Written for the United Press)

Boys will be boys is no longer true. They now will be Boy Scouts or sailors in blue. And little girls swagger in Red Cross togs too. Why really "Just children" you no more can view.

New York, May 21.—All in the infancy is in full uniform these days. Young hopefuls at the age of five and six are miniature copies of honest-to-goodness Boy Scouts with knapsacks, leggings, broad-brimmed hats and everything all complete. Quite the best thing about the suits from a mother's viewpoint is the fact that they are made from the regulation khaki and hence bear some promise of withstanding the constant friction of too close application to balustrades and cellar doors, and shocks of climbing stone walls and apple-trees, of wallowing in mud pies and damp sand piles and other delectable death-to-clothes stunts that boyish flesh is heir to.

The sturdy Boy Scout shoes that come from size ten up, almost but not quite, revive for harassed Dads and Mothers the erstwhile happy halcyon days of the copper toed boot.

Another khaki model for small boys that is practical, serviceable and good looking is a Norfolk suit with knickerbockers. Of course this hasn't the lure for the small boy soul that is just bursting to grow up and be a soldier but it has its good points even if they aren't patriotic ones.

The sailor suits while of course they have always been on deck are now floating on the very top wave of renewed popularity. A small boy can always be ship shape in a blue serge or white duck sailor or middie suit with all the necessary adjuncts of bo'sum whistle, flowing tie and hat band gold lettered with name of his favorite battleship. For dress up effects there are cunning copies of officers uniforms in regulation blue serge and brass buttons and there are also fleecy white flannel sailor suits guaranteed to turn little Percy into an ice cream sailor fit to rival any chocolate soldier.

While small brother is cavorting around in his martial marine and regimental duds little sister is by no means out of the patriotic picture.

At the age of four and five she is a good sartorial imitation of a Camp Fire girl in khaki kilts and accoutrements. She is a ladylike sailstress in a middie blouse and skirt but her greatest achievement is a Red Cross uniform, white apron, cap, sleeve band and all. No little girl can resist such blarney apparel and is even ready and willing to have her face and "paddies" scrubbed at frequent intervals in order to live up to it. These cunning Red Cross outfits are fine for the little ladies but tough on the neighbor cats and dogs and the doll families. Tabitha and Thomas Cat are worn almost to wraiths from too zealous nursing and the family setter has ceased to set.

When they blossom out in party pretties or Sunday school garb the little girls today have charming confections to choose from indeed. The color line is no longer drawn at pink and blue and white for tiny tads. They now look like wee golden girls in wonderful yellow creations of linen and cotton crepe that are quaint and individual of cut and dainty in hand embroidery and smocking. Yellow is really a lovely color for childhood and these new yellow frocks and golden coats and sweaters are the new last word in Lilliputian fashion circles.

Yellow rosebud aprigged dimities, dotted swiss slips over yellow silk under slips and yellow tripped and checked ginghams made up with plain white or plain yellow are decidedly smart.

All the newest little girl models frocks have the cunningest pockets and collars and Frenchy touches, just like mother's bits of yarn embroidery, belts, and fixings that all little girls just love.

For hard work in the garden in these days of each one doing her bit, there are delightful little overalls of pink, navy and tan chambray banded in striped or checked chambray of white and the same shade with lovely big pockets to hold sand, pebbles or a radish and onion or two when the wee enthusiastic gardener gets to raising a little food stuff on her own account.

Of course there are sunbonnets to match.

It's all right to lay something by for a rainy day, but don't invest all the money you have in umbrellas.—Philadelphia Record.

Gen. Joffre Kisses Boston Mayor's Daughter



Little Mary Curley, daughter of the mayor of Boston, will ever remember this occasion. Perhaps when she is a white haired old lady she will tell her friends of the greatest kiss she ever received. Before an enormous crowd in Boston Marshal Joffre kissed her, and the photographer did not fall.

WILL GATHER AT AN EARLY DATE

Irish Convention to Consider Form of Home Rule.

SHAUGHNESSY IS MENTIONED

American of Irish Parentage May Be Chosen Presiding Officer—Factions in Parliament Discuss Question With Harsh a Rip of Old Animosities.

London, May 22.—Baron Shaughnessy, American born of Irish parentage, may be chosen chairman of the convention to agree on a reform of home rule for Ireland, the calling of which at an early date was announced in the house of commons by Premier Lloyd George.

Shaughnessy is president of the Canadian Pacific railroad. He was born in Milwaukee.

Others mentioned for the chairmanship are the Duke of Connaught, former governor general of Canada, and former Premier Asquith.

Both houses of parliament discussed the Irish question with hardly a ripple of the old animosities, all agreeing politics must play no part in the solution of the problem.

The debate developed a wholesome respect for the opinion of the United States.

Prospects for the convention's success appeared more favorable.

"Although I am aware of the difficulties in the way," John Redmond declared, "I take it for granted that all sections of Irishmen will feel it their duty to come in and meet their fellow countrymen."

"I have the sure hope," Mr. Redmond said, "that the result of the convention will be a blessed one for Ireland and the empire."

Mr. Redmond said no one must shrink from a compromise.

Ulster Will Consider Plan.

Sir John Lonsdale, secretary and whip of the Irish Unionist party, told the house that the Ulster party will submit the entire proposal to the people of Ulster and recommend its careful consideration.

Premier Lloyd George said he believes the convention will have a reasonable chance of success. The premier entreated the house to believe that nothing but special war considerations would have induced the government to take up the settlement of so thorny a problem in the midst of a great war.

"But," he added, "when engaged in a life and death struggle we do not want to feasting sore on our hands. The support of Ireland as a whole is essential to victory."

"I do not know whether the Ulster Unionists will accept the government's invitation but I do know that no threats will have the slightest effect," Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Irish Unionist, said.

"If this attempt does not succeed in pacifying Ireland and bringing her freedom, it at least will have been an honest one," Joseph Devlin, Nationalist, declared.

"The government's plan well may

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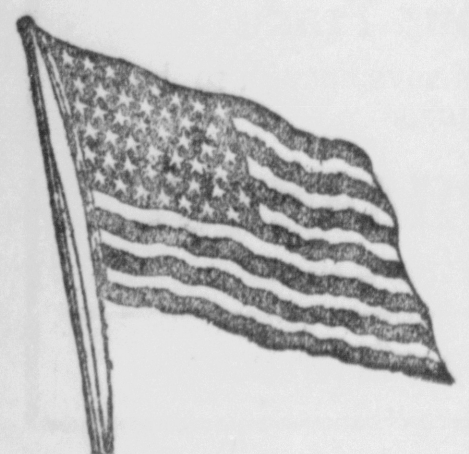
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The Flag for me and you—
Glorified the whole world wide—
The Red, the White, the Blue!

Minnesota is expected to take \$411,500,000 of the Liberty Loan bonds and Crow Wing county's share is \$400,000. Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department is visiting various parts of the country making a plea for helping the government by subscribing for this loan, and his visit to the Twin Cities on Saturday was met with a hearty response and he was given one of the most enthusiastic receptions ever accorded any public official. Last night in Brainerd Joseph Chapman of the Northwestern National bank of Minneapolis, brought a message to the people of Brainerd and Crow Wing county bearing upon the same subject, the outline of the plan of raising money in other localities for the purchase of these bonds being discussed. His talk was patriotic and convincing and he was received with enthusiasm. Mr. Chapman was here in conference with the Crow Wing county bankers who were perfecting plans for an organization to promote the sale of bonds and to give information regarding the movement to the public. The amount may look large to the casual observer, but in reality it is not. The bonds bear 3½ per cent interest, are free from taxation of all kinds and are a gilt edged investment backed by the richest and best country on the face of the earth—and when you invest in one or more bonds you have the satisfaction of knowing that you are doing something for your country.

Daylight saving is being taken notice of in other parts of the country and President Wilson has expressed his approval of the plan to a delegation headed by Representative W. P. Borland of Missouri and Marcus Marks of New York. The president told them the only question in his mind about legislation to carry it into operation was whether congressional leaders would look upon it as war legislation to which they tacitly have decided to limit the session activities. The subject will be taken up with the leaders.

Whoever pulled off the "conference" to be held in the northern part of the state in June to set things in motion for the next state campaign had the satisfaction of making some of the politicians set up and take notice as much as they longed to let things slumber for some months before beginning to manipulate the wires again. The "opposition" to Gov. Burnquist, whoever or whatever that is, is held responsible for disturbing the otherwise placid surface of the political fishpond.

The tour of the National Editorial association of the northwest has been cancelled. Government restrictions prevent the running of special trains and this is the reason the trip has been abandoned. Little Falls, Bemidji and other places were to be visited by this distinguished party, and it is likely that they will be at some time in the future as the trip as planned will undoubtedly be taken

when matters reach their normal condition again.

If the St. Cloud Journal-Press does not quit agitating giving Teddy a chance to cross the ocean with his volunteer army Editor McDonald is liable to have nervous prostration. Even after President Wilson has decided that he will not permit of it Alvah Eastman "is still voting for it" and the Times again protests.

The H. C. L. has struck the Belgian Congo where native are taxed two francs a head for wives. The first wife is exempt but every wife the native male adds to his household after that he must ante to the tax collector, and shoes \$6 a piece where you buy two at a time.

Farley Dare has not improved since his visit to Rochester specialists and is said to be in a serious condition from Bright's disease. The Walker newspaper man is one of the brightest editors in Minnesota and his friends throughout the state hope for his ultimate recovery.

A Minneapolis janitor suicided when the tenants of a flat building called for heat.

RESTING WHILE PLANS MATURE

British Preparing for Another Forward Plunge.

GERMANS USING HEAVY GUNS

French Positions in Champagne Are Subjected to Severe Artillery Fire. Austrians Continue Bombardment of Italian Lines in Trentino District.

London, May 22.—The comparative calm that has always followed the attainment by the British troops of their immediate objectives has fallen over the entire front between Arras and Quant. Here the British are resting, unhampered by the Germans except by artillery fire on various sectors, consolidating their lines and making ready for another plunge toward the Drocourt-Queant switch line.

The British are secure in the possession of all the famous Hindenburg line, except about 2,000 yards directly west of Bullecourt, where another heavy battle must be fought.

Likewise, along the southern end of the line held by the French, comparative quiet prevails, except in Champagne, where the Germans bombarded heavily the trenches taken from them by the French in Sunday's fighting near Moronvillers.

In the Austro-Italian theater the Austrians are keeping up their heavy bombardment in the Trentino sector and evidently in an attempt to distract the Italians from the offensive from Tolmino to the sea with their objective, Trieste, Austria's principal seaport on the Adriatic.

The fighting still is furious in the latter region, with both the Italian and Austrian war offices claiming success.

TRADE FLEET IS STARTED

Contracts Have Been Let for Thirty-eight Vessels.

Washington, May 22.—Contracts for thirty-eight vessels, twenty-six wooden and twelve steel, have been let by the emergency fleet corporation in the shipping board's ship building program.

Twelve wooden and four steel vessels will be built by the Merrill-Stevens company at Jacksonville.

The G. M. Standifer Construction corporation of Portland, Ore., will construct ten wooden ships and the Peninsular Ship Building company of Portland, Ore., four.

Announcement was made some days ago that the Los Angeles Ship Building and Dry Dock company would build eight steel cargo ships. These are included in the total.

MANY TRAINS ARE DOOMED

Passenger Service in the Northwest Will Be Curtailed.

Minneapolis, May 22.—Between Minneapolis and Chicago, over seven lines, there run daily seventeen passenger trains a day each way. Officials are agreed that the number could be cut to ten or even less if ordered by some central authority. It never would be done by action of the individual lines. There are 200 passenger trains leaving Minneapolis daily. It is believed fully a third will be cut.

So far, railroad men say, the roads have received nothing but general instructions. Soldiers and war equipment are to be given right of way, but this movement has hardly begun. When it fairly starts the revision of regular train schedules probably will be in operation.

"Papa, what is the difference between a sanitarium and an asylum?" "About \$100 a week."—New York Times.

1ST MINNESOTA IS RECRUITING

Ordered to Recruit to War Strength, Allowing 630 Additional Men in the Regiment

LETTER FROM COL. E. D. LUCE

Addressed to Mayor R. A. Beise Inquiring About Sending up Recruiting Officer

Mayor R. A. Beise has received this letter from Col. E. D. Luce, commanding the First Minnesota Infantry, regarding the recruiting of the regiment to war strength and asking if a recruiting officer be sent to Brainerd.

It may be stated that Lieutenant Irie Mallette, in command of the First Regiment detachment at Brainerd, has acted as recruiting officer and enlisted eight or more men for service. Accordingly the mayor thought it not necessary to detail a special man for service in Brainerd.

The letter reads:

"Pursuant to instructions from the war department, the First Minnesota Infantry has been instructed to recruit to war strength. The above authority will allow the enlisting of 650 additional men in this regiment.

"A number of the best in our regiment are from your city and vicinity and, since they enlisted, we have had many inquiries with reference to accepting additional men. The regiment is now in a position to accept recruits and we are very desirous that you send us only such men as are of good moral character and physical standard.

"Such men desiring to enlist, kindly direct them to the recruiting officer, 410 Marquette Ave., Minneapolis, Minnesota. If you think it advisable, we would be pleased to send a recruiting officer to your city. In such a case, kindly communicate with the above named officer.

"The men enlisting now have a great advantage over those who are forced into the army by conscription by selecting the regiment in which they wish to serve. They will be able to choose their companies and will have the satisfaction of volunteering instead of being conscripted.

"We respectfully urge your hearty cooperation in this recruiting."

TRAP AND FIELD

Northwest Newspapers Promote Trap Leagues, 24 Cities Joined in Friendly Rivalry

BY PETER P. CARNEY

(Editor National Sports Syndicate.)

The trapshooting league idea is growing like wildfire, especially in the northwest, where three leagues, each one having 12 clubs, have been formed within the past few weeks. These leagues are known as the Inland Empire, the Columbia-Willamette and the Northwest Trapshooters' League.

The novel thing about two of the leagues is that the promotion was done by newspapers—not the clubs—and the movement is being featured by them. The "Spokesman-Review" of Spokane, Wash., is conducting the Inland Empire League and the "Portland (Ore.) Oregonian" is managing the Columbia-Willamette League. Both have 12 cities represented in Washington and Oregon, and are conducted along the same lines.

The entrance of the newspapers into trapshooting promotion is a good thing for the sport. The publicity that the newspapers have given to baseball has made that sport what it is today. The same co-operation with trapshooting will make that sport just as popular. It is growing faster than any other sport in America, has more followers today than any other, and it will continue to grow with the aid of the press and public, and always remain the fairest of American sports.

The trapshooting organization of the central and middle west get on the job early. The Wisconsin state tournament will not be held until late in July, yet the Wisconsin association has already posted the country with attractive cards announcing the shoot. These cards have been sent to every gun club in the country. The program is novel, several thousand dollars in cash and trophies being offered. The Minnesota state tournament takes place at the same time as the Wisconsin meet, and the up-and-doing methods of the Wisconsin people have caused the Minnesota association to get a move on and plan months ahead. Both associations expect more than 200 entries. Illinois, Iowa, Kansas and Missouri expect to do as well. It looks like a big year in the middle west.

Jay Graham and W. S. Stannard, professional trapshooters for some time, are again back with the amateurs. They were sterling amateurs before joining the ranks of the professionals.

NEW COUNCIL HAS ITS FIRST SESSION

(Continued from page 1)

Michigan Avenue, Chicago, had been paved with bitulithic ten years ago and had held up well. They were laying 40,000 yards of such paving in St. Cloud, 109,000 yards in Fargo which was entirely satisfied with paving put in eight years ago. The finished product cost \$2.15 per yard on a concrete base when laid at St. Cloud. In Brainerd the cost of a five inch concrete base was to be deducted if the macadam was in good shape for a foundation. If Brainerd's macadam streets were not soon repaired, the whole street would have to be taken up and replaced.

The city clerk was instructed to have inserted advertising calling attention to the meeting of property owners affected by the paving bids.

The council awarded the furnishing of meals to city prisoners to the Garvey restaurant at 18 cents per meal. Julius Mahl bid 20c a meal.

The application of Archie Falconer for fire truck driver was accepted. Mr. Falconer is a good mechanic and also sleeps at the fire hall.

For sanitary policeman there were two applicants, B. Kocher and T. W. Sparling. Mr. Kocher did the work satisfactorily last year and in addition got more than 100 extra dogs on the license list. When the vote was taken Kocher had received the unanimous vote of the council.

The city clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for city depositaries and city printing.

Alderman Turcotte said dumping in West Brainerd in unauthorized places should be stopped and the laws enforced.

"Arrest and fine the violators of dumping laws," said Alderman Turcotte.

The council concided with his views.

Alderman W. J. Lynols asked if the city would clean up alleys this season. He referred to the special clean up day held last year.

Alderman Turcotte said it was a bad habit and many people neglected to clean up and waited for the city to do it. People should do their own cleaning up.

Alderman Ole Anderson called attention to the big dump in Holland's addition near the swamp in Northeast Brainerd, and steps for the regulation of dumping should be enforced.

On motion of Alderman Frank G. Hall the sanitary policeman was employed for three months. Mr. Kocher asked for signs to attach to dumping places. Alderman Turcotte said he could supply him with several old ones.

The renting of two 2½ acres of land in the Holland tracts will be taken up at next meeting. It appears two men have bid for the rental.

There was but one application for janitor, that of Mrs. L. A. Grant, who has given the best of service. Action on the same was laid over to the next meeting.

O. H. Guinn of Kindred street was granted a cigaret license.

City Clerk Mahlum reported on writing to the Duluth Brewing Co. to clean up the premises and sidewalks at the former Ideal hotel site corner Fifth and Front. They had started work Monday morning.

H. A. Peterson of Barrows, town clerk of Crow Wing township, referred to the city keeping up a section of the east and west road at the city limits south of town. According to his records it was a mutual agreement on the part of the city and the township to keep that section passable. The board had suggested grading it. He claimed it was a rural route and should be kept passable at all times. No action was first taken by the council, as they wished to familiarize themselves with the situation. Then, on motion, it was referred to the street commissioner.

The bridge south of Dodds' and near Zakariasen's was reported in bad shape, needing culvert galvanized iron, etc. It was referred to the street commissioner with power to act.

Alderman Ole Anderson said the planks of the sewer in the ball park needed repair.

C. W. Koering in a letter to the council also called attention to open places in the sewer at the ball park. It was referred to the sewer committee with power to act.

Property owners including H. F. Peters, John Favrou, C. F. Anderson, C. L. Johanson, C. N. Olson, S. M. Erickson, Wm. Ritari, Joseph Baakanen, August Samuelson and O. E. Erickson asked that an eight inch lateral sewer be constructed to commence at the man hole on 12th street between Quince and Rosewood, running thence east in the alley and laid in blocks 17, 16 and 15 in the Second addition to Brainerd. One of the citizens from that section of Southeast Brainerd spoke of the water in basements and cellars in spring and fall and said the sewer was absolutely necessary. They had all paid for

the main sewer line which, however, had not benefited them in this section. The city clerk was ordered to advertise for bids.

The state highway commission called attention to the city's credit of \$1,000 in the road and bridge fund. An inspection would soon be made of the Thirteenth street road paving and payments would follow if satisfactory.

The Brainerd Automobile Association called attention to the \$50 donated for the improvement of Mill street on condition the city donated a like sum. On motion of Alderman Hall seconded by Alderman Lyons the donation was allowed for street work.

Mayor R. A. Beise had a communication regarding the committee of the council to confer with the Chamber of Commerce committee headed by P. B. Nettleton on the establishment of a public market in Brainerd. He appointed as council committee Aldermen Lewis H. Stallman, Ole Anderson and K. A. Gustafson.

Mayor Beise called attention to searching for remains of bodies in the fire swept area of Fifth and Front City Attorney Crowell, when asked by the council, said the debris can be termed a nuisance and ordered cleaned up. While cleaning up, a watch could be maintained for any remains. The city clerk was instructed to notify the property owners at the Antlers hotel site to put their premises in sanitary condition or it would be done by the city and charged up to the property owners.

A petition of citizens was read on parking North Broadway the same as North Sixth, with a 20 foot strip in the center and 20 feet of paving on each side. It was ordered filed with the data on such paving. It is to extend from Kingwood to Fir street.

Fred Sanborn spoke relative to having the city take out workmen's compensation insurance. It was taken under advisement by the council.

The Credit Insurance Adjustment Co. submitted a bill of \$320 on insurance.

In answer to a question, City Clerk Mahlum stated the current expense account was now overdrawn \$600, besides that a lot of bills were to be allowed for the month of May.

The so-called jitney ordinance, whereby cars desiring to carry passengers at 5c and 10c must pay an additional tax of \$10 was passed unanimously.

R. T. Campbell of St. Paul had on file his application for the position of city engineer. It stated he had been employed a year on the city engineer's staff in Grand Rapids, Mich., four years in railway construction in the northern part of Ontario on the National Transcontinental railway where he worked up to the position of acting resident engineer. Since the fall of 1913 he has been assistant engineer in the valuation division of the Great Northern railway company. He took a civil engineering course in the University of Michigan from 1905 to 1909. He put his salary, if employed by the city of Brainerd, at \$2,000 a year. No action was taken on the application, that being deferred to the executive session.

Louis Knudsen, present city engineer, reported on the progress of work under his supervision. He said he was willing to enter a six months' contract with the city at \$1500 and maintenance of his machine.

Clyde E. Parker called attention to the bad piece of sidewalk in front of the Best theatre and that he had called it to the attention of the owner of the theatre, J. M. Hayes. It was referred to the committee on streets on sidewalks with power to act.

The council accepted the \$20,000 bond of George Berggreen, city treasurer, in the New Amsterdam Guarantee Co.

Henry Squires, former chief of police, reported turning over to the city a gun and a pair of "come alongs" in his possession. Regarding pictures which formerly decked the walls of the police station, he said, they belonged to "Babe" DeRocher.

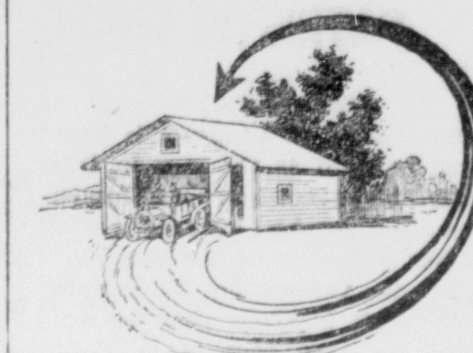
A. J. Loom, business agent of the Brainerd City band, had renewed the regular contract of the band with the city for playing in the parks during the summer season.

Automatic telephones were ordered installed in the homes of the chief of police and the fire chief.

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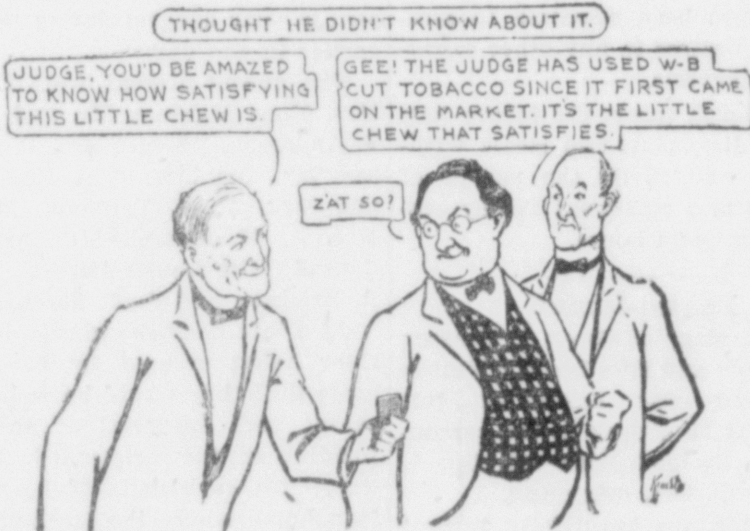
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LIBERTY BOND CAMPAIGN WAGED

Joseph Chapman, Jr., Vice President of Northwestern National Bank, Minneapolis, Speaker

ELOQUENT EXPOSITION GIVEN

Crow Wing County Bankers Association Formed Headed by A. J. Hayes of Crosby

HIGH LIGHTS IN LIBERTY BOND ADDRESS OF JOSEPH CHAPMAN, JR.

Five men are needed at home to support one man in the trenches. School children in Minneapolis raised \$50,000 to buy Liberty Bonds. It is everyone's duty to buy a bond, more than that, it's a privilege to do so. He expected and he knew Brainerd would respond to the appeal of the nation. Under the best of circumstances the war will last two years longer. He called attention to the position of Russia.

Introduced by George D. LaBar, president of the First National Bank, Joseph Chapman, Jr., vice president of the Northwestern National Bank of Minneapolis, faced a representative audience of men and quite a few women at the Chamber of Commerce Monday evening and launched into an eloquent exposition of the Liberty Bonds.

He outlined in graphic sentences America's part in the world war and what a Liberty Bond meant. He told how even the school children of Minneapolis were enlisted in the movement to subscribe for the bonds.

He told of the enormous army in the fields and industrial regions needed to keep the men at the front, the ratio being five men at home to support one man in the trenches.

Moved by the eloquence of Mr. Chapman, his simple, natural recital of this patriotic epoch in the history of the nation, when men, money, supplies were needed and the entire co-operation of the American people, many present registered their consent to buying the Liberty Bonds. One who said he had been born in Germany, offered his first deposit to get a bond.

A Crow Wing County Bankers association was formed to carry on the work of disposing of \$400,000 bonds to the county, the portion allotted to this county. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, A. J. Hayes, cashier of the First National Bank of Crosby; vice president, F. H. Simpson, vice president of the Citizens State Bank of Brainerd; secretary-treasurer, F. A. Farrar, vice president of the First National Bank of Brainerd. Fifteen bankers of the county were present at the session held on Monday afternoon. The next meeting was set for Tuesday, May 29.

BANKERS ENTERTAIN Local Bankers Entertain at Dinner Joseph Chapman, Jr., and Visiting Bankers

Local bankers of the city entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner at the Ransford Monday evening Joseph Chapman, Jr., vice president of the Northwestern National Bank of Minneapolis and visiting bankers from the towns of Crow Wing county.

A pleasing menu was discussed. Plates were laid for twelve at the table reserved in the spacious dining room of the Ransford.

HUMAN BONES AT ANTLERS HOTEL

William Horton Makes Find of Supposed Human Thigh Bone, Believed to be Fire Victim

MAY BE REMAINS OF T. E. LAMB

Bones Found at Spot 15 Feet From Where Remains and Possessions of Wm. Deering Found

What is believed to be a thigh bone and other human bones have been found by William Horton, of Jones & Horton, engaged under the direction of Henry I. Cohen, in cleaning up debris of the Duluth Brewing Co. burned site near the corner of Fifth and Front streets. They are thought to be the remains of Thomas F. Lamb who perished in the disastrous fire which swept away the Antlers and Ideal hotels and other buildings.

Last January bones and burned possessions of William Deering were found under what had been the lobby of the Antlers hotel. The find today was in what had been a narrow passage between the Antlers and the Kannenberg building, at what was formerly the base of the stairways leading to the second floor of the Antlers hotel.

The bones were about fifteen feet away from the point where the bones of William Deering were located. It is thought that Lamb was making his way from the second floor to the main floor, became confused at the point where stairways led to the lobby and was suffocated by the smoke and rendered almost unrecognizable when the walls crashed in on all below.

TWO KILLED IN RANGE COLLISION

Riverton, Minn., May 22—In a head on collision of motorcycle and automobile near the Hill Crest mine late Monday afternoon, Ray Wiggins, single, age 24, grocer of Riverton, driving a motorcycle was killed and Louis Klattenbach, former postmaster of Riverton, sitting on the seat behind, is reported dying.

It is reported Wiggins was on the wrong side of the road. The automobile was hit head on and the front bar smashed, radiator crashed in, etc. The motorcycle was reduced to scrap.

Wiggins broke two legs and his face was crushed, the side of his jaw being smashed. He was taken to a Crosby hospital and died shortly after. Not much hope is held out for Klattenbach.

The road near the Hill Crest mine is full of turns, there being a reverse curve just at the railway crossing.

Wiggins died at 7 last night. Klattenbach lingered and died at midnight. Neither regained consciousness.

An inquest is being held this afternoon.

Clear Away the Waste

Bowel regularity is the secret of good health, bright eyes, clear complexion, and Dr. King's New Life Pills are a mild and gentle laxative that regulates the bowels and relieves the congested intestines by removing the accumulated wastes without griping. Take a pill before retiring and that heavy head, that dull spring fever feeling disappears. Get Dr. King's New Life Pills at your drugist. 25c—Adv.

DISPATCH MAN TO BE OFFICER

Fred L. Britton of Dispatch Job Department in Reserve Officers Training Camp

TELLS OF THE ROUTINE WORK

About 150 Men in Co. No. 4, Each Company Has a Dining Room of Its Own at Camp

Fred L. Britton, of the job department of the Brainerd Dispatch and now in training at the reserve officers' training camp, has written the Dispatch this story of daily life at Fort Snelling. Mr. Britton has many friends in Brainerd and vicinity who will be pleased to hear from him through the medium of the Dispatch. He writes:

Reserve Officers' Training Camp, Fort Snelling, Minn., May 20th, 1917.

The Brainerd Daily Dispatch, Brainerd, Minn. Gentlemen:—Thinking that perhaps you may have a desire to know something about the duties of those in training here, I have taken advantage of the first opportunity offered me, as our time is about completely occupied by work and study. Having found it impossible to write a personal letter to each of my friends in the office and about town, would ask a personal favor that you publish this letter as a matter of news.

All the men here received their first inoculation of typhoid vaccine. They are to receive two more, one May 29 and one June 8th. We will then be immune against typhoid. We will also be vaccinated to prevent smallpox.

We have about 150 men in Co. No. 4 and we all eat in one large dining room, each company has a dining room of their own.

While passing the Post Exchange building I was hailed by Monroe Elder, Jr., from Brainerd. I have not seen anyone else from Brainerd yet. Following is the dope for last Friday:

Reveille—First call, 5:30 A. M. get out of bed; march, 5:40 A. M. put on your clothes; assembly, 5:45 A. M. line up for roll call; physical exercise and marching in double time until 6 o'clock; mess or breakfast, 6:15 A. M.; sick call, 6:30 A. M.; drill, 7:00 to 9:00 A. M.; company drill, squad drill in close and extended order, school of the soldier; semaphore signal, 9:00 to 10:00 A. M.; practice march, 10:00 to 11:00 A. M.; instructions, lectures, etc., 11:00 to 12:00 A. M.

Mess dinner, 12:30 P. M.; drill, 1:30 to 3:00 P. M.; sighting customs of the service such as teaching sighting and adjusting the gun sling properly, the names and uses of every part of the new Springfield rifle, 3:00 to 4:30 P. M.; retreat, 4:30 to 5:30 P. M.; assembly, 5:55 P. M.; retreat, 6:00 P. M.; mess call, supper, 6:15 to 9:00 P. M.; tattoo, 9:00, means all light must be put out and stop all noise and talking; call to quarters, 9:45 P. M., all must get to bed; taps, 11:00 P. M., officers make an inspection of each building to see if every man is in bed and if he finds a bed empty he looks at the tag which is fastened to the foot of his bed and on which his name is plainly written and he then reports the man as absent.

The above was our work laid out for last Friday. We have about the same amount to perform each day, except Sunday.

We had inspection of company quarters Saturday. Each bed must be made up neatly and all government equipment must be displayed in such a way that the inspecting officer can see all at a glance. The inspecting officer is very strict and an extra clean suit of underwear and socks, a towel, a tooth brush, hairbrush, comb, looking glass, soap, etc., must be displayed at inspection.

Sunday morning we do not have to get up quite so early in the morning. Well, this is all the dope for this time. With best wishes to all, I remain,

Yours respectfully,
FRED L. BRITTON,
Fort Snelling, Minn.
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RESIDENCE AND SUMMER COTTAGES FOR SALE

I am offering my home at No. 419 North Third Street and six summer cottages at Hubert lake for immediate sale. Residence property includes six lots facing east on North Third street. Summer cottages will be sold either individually or as a group. All of the above properties are offered at a sacrifice.

C. M. PATEK 2961

NOTICE

To Lot Owners of Evergreen Cemetery

This notice is for the purpose of calling your attention to the fact that it will be necessary for you to list your lot in the cemetery in order to have it cared for by the Association.

No work will be done on lots until the same have been listed with the secretary, Milton McPadden, at No. 509 Holly street.

The Committee on Grounds. 29613

FRANK CONGDON WRITES OF TRIP

To His Old Home in York State and Gives Interesting Details Regarding Changes

VISIT COVERS SEVEN MONTHS

Will be Glad to be Back on the Farm After Renewing Acquaintances of Fifty Years Ago

The following interesting and instructive letter has just been received by Henry R. Congdon, from his father, Frank B. Congdon, the prosperous Oak Lawn farmer and former dairyman, who, with Mrs. Congdon have spent the past winter visiting the home and friends of childhood days in New York and Pennsylvania. The Dispatch is glad to give to its readers Mr. Congdon's characteristic description of his well earned seven months' recreation and his many Brainerd friends will welcome him home:

Elmira, N. Y., May 15, 1917.

Dear Henry:—My reason for not writing you more in detail regarding my sojourn in the east is the warm reception I have received everywhere by the friends of my youth. Many of the boys and girls who were my playmates fifty years ago and whom I remember as children, are now grey haired grandparents, but the fire of their youthful days still burns in every heart and the cordiality with which I have been received. The long winter evenings sitting around the comfortable old fire places, the sumptuous meals and the recounting of events of our childhood days, held us many times, longer than we intended to remain at a given place, while invitations from others came, and thus, our seven months of continuous visiting has been one glad gala day, but soon we will retrace our steps westward and with a short stop in Wisconsin we will be with you again, and possibly as glad to be again on the farm as I was to recover the "wad" that I unconsciously deposited with my barber the day I left home. I have not only visited every nook and corner of the land of my boyhood days but have searched hill and dale and not in vain, to find my schoolmates and other friends of fifty years ago. Imagine, if you can, the surprise I held my friends in thought as when I last saw them, but now to find them grey haired grandparents. But that has not lessened the pleasure for me, for their comfortable home life, comfortable fire places, (sweet elder, apples and pop corn as in yester days), their sumptuous meals, and best of all, the cordiality, welcome and good cheer from everybody we have visited, has made it difficult for us to "tweak away" to accept invitations from those who had heard of our presence in their vicinity.

In my wanderings I have devoted no little time in accumulating much information of a personal nature that will interest Judd Wright, Herb Hughey, Ed Webb and other natives in their vicinity, who left here in their youths but who (Ed Webb excepted) have not experienced the happy home-coming that has been mine to enjoy.

From the viewpoint of an experienced milk dealer, I find the dairymen here much in advance of those at Brainerd both in method of handling their product and the monetary appreciation.

Here the farmer places his milk in cans on the platform by the roadside in front of his barn, from there it is hauled to the creamery by teams devoted exclusively for that purpose, this leaves the farmer free to do his regular farm work after caring for his herd. There are many prosperous farmers here, made quite independent by their dairy, especially as they receive five cents per quart for milk at their farm, so that a herd of say twenty cows with fifteen quarts of milk each per day, brings to the farmer a monthly check of \$450.00. Can you wonder then that he supports an automobile (a real car, not a Ford) and enjoys some of the formerly exclusive comforts of the millionaire.

Milk sells here to the consumer for ten cents, except New York and other large cities, where it is 11 cents and 12 cents per quart. Other products may not be different than sold in the west, for instance: Butter, 50c-52c per lb.; eggs, 23c-40c; sugar, 19c; sirloin steak, 32c; pork, salt, 25c; potatoes, bushel, \$3.50; flour, barrel, \$14.40; hay, ton, \$12-\$14.

The wage question here seems satisfactory. Mechanics in shops, \$3.50 and \$4.00 per day. In munition factories, employing from 3,000 to 6,000 men, the works never stop, three shifts, 8 hours each, men are paid fabulous wages, from 40c to \$1.25 per hour. These factories are guarded day and night by soldiers, and no foreigner, not naturalized, are permitted to approach closer than half a mile to the work. Many Germans (naturalized) are employed in munition factories but they are watched closer than the proverbial cat watches a mouse. If he side-steps, he is interned.

The craze for good roads has taken possession of the farmer as well as the city owners of autos. There are three grades: 1st, state roads, main thoroughfares; 2nd, county roads between all towns of 300 population, and 3rd, "improved roads," graded and ditched, but not macadamized. These roads connect state and county roads, saving long detours.

A splendid law prevails here that I should be glad to see enacted for the benefit of Crow Wing county roads. Every farmer is obliged to cut all brush on both sides of the road clean to his line fence. This makes for dry roads, and a more practical and pleasant driveway. If a farmer neglects to keep his roadsides in proper condition, the county does the

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PATRIOTIC LEAGUE TO DRILL TONIGHT

Earnest Appeal Made to All Charter Members to Attend Drill as They Pledged Themselves to

TO MEET AT GARDNER HALL

Officers Furnish Dispatch With the Charter List of Members of the Drill Squad

The Dispatch publishes this list of charter members of the Patriotic League who agreed to devote two evenings a week to a drill company. Members are earnestly requested to be at Gardner hall on Tuesdays and Friday evenings at 8:30 sharp. Brainerd citizens cannot afford to have their names linked with other flash in the pan enthusiasts all over the country who have started such things and then quit.

Do your bit, come out tonight and bring a recruit. Here are the members:

Geo. Allen, Fred Allison, B. J. Broady, Thos. Beare, A. K. Cohen, Henry I. Cohen, W. H. Crowell, J. H. Davison, R. R. Dennison, H. P. Dunn, Dr. W. A. Erickson, S. V. English, C. M. Fay, W. H. Gennell, R. R. Gould, K. H. Hoorn, A. L. Hoffman, R. B. Hamilton, N. H. Ingersoll, E. Kronberg, F. J. Lowey, J. K. Lawrence, F. L. Lincoln, W. F. Marx, John Mahlum, Wm. Nelson, O. A. Peterson, C. S. Reimstad, Clifford Russell, C. B. Rowley, Fred Sanborn, T. H. Stone, E. W. Schmidt, F. E. Stout, M. C. Sheets, R. M. Sheets, E. W. VanWalk, R. R. Wise, Walter Wieland.

work and charges same to the delinquent and negligent farmer.

George Gardner, here is a work for you. See that a law is made that will compel (under penalty for failure) all farmers and all non-residents to cut all brush by the roadside on their farm, and do it, every year!

I believe the people of Crow Wing county are justly proud of their prosperous, hard-working farmers, especially the pioneers. What would Brainerd do now had these farmers not demonstrated the utility of the soil, cleared the land on which was little else than brush, rocks and a mortgage. The present day farmers are happily free from the iron grasp of the money lenders of twenty-five years ago.

Now Henry, regarding those high school-soldier-farmers, you should not employ more than ten or fifteen now. You might let them take four of our best teams and break up the field north of the barn. Do not allow them to plow more than twelve hours per day at first, for you know the chores will work them two hours before breakfast and three hours after supper. They will, however, soon learn that they will need at least six hours of sleep. All this will count as first aid toward making stalwart soldiers of them, and you might gently suggest that fact to them should they show a desire to want to sit down and rest. I'm so glad to know that those high school young giants are taking to the farm. It will be to them an object lesson of life in the trenches in France, and they may become more willing to face the German horde on the Aisne, or help to sink a few hundred submarines. Rah, for soldier-farmer! Tell them and will soon be there to show them what work really is.

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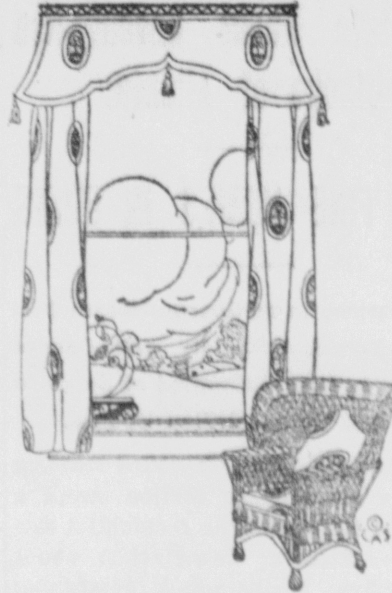
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WANTED—Girl to wash silver at the Ransford hotel.
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WANTED—Girl for general housework. 215 Kingwood. 913-29713

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FOR RENT—Store room, 212 South Seventh. Inquire premises.
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FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home. 223 North Fifth street.
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FOR RENT—Three room flat in Model Laundry building. See Slipp-Grunchen.
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FOR RENT—Two nice flats, nice lot for garden with each flat. Inquire of E. C. Bane.
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FOR RENT—7 room modern house, furnished, for three months. Rents reasonable. Phone 406.
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FOR RENT—\$25 month, cottage of 5 rooms and bath, heat. 423 N. Fifth street. Call at Citizens State bank.
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FOR RENT—The W. A. Prentice farm. Land all plowed last fall. For particulars see John Byrne, Ft. Ripley, Minn. 6641255tf-w1

FOR RENT—4 room house S. 5th St., \$7.50. 8 room house 1303 Whiteley Ave., N. E., 2 blocks east of mill school \$14. Nettleton.
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229-2944ed-211w

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FOR SALE—Buggy and wagon. 222 2nd Ave.
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FOR SALE—Steel range. 324 North Second street.
899-29615

FOR SALE—Pope motorcycle. Inquire 110 Norwood street.
915-29816p

FOR SALE—Seven room house in splendid repair. Apply to M. J. Ries.
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FOR SALE—Twin cylinder Indian motorcycle. Enquire Iron Exchange hotel.
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FOR SALE—Six room house, partly modern. Bargain. Inquire 124 Second Avenue.
641-255f

FOR SALE—One-half block, 6 big lots, St. Paul Addition, \$400. J. H. Krekelberg.
624-252tf

FOR SALE—Property No. 624 north Ninth street, and 718 Front street. Fred S. Parker.
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FOR SALE—At a bargain, used Imperial auto in very good running condition. C. A. Olson.
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FOR SALE—Land near Fort Ripley, also nice lake shore property at Gull lake. Albert Angel.
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FOR SALE—New summer cottage on Round lake, fine location, close to main Gull lake road. Apply C. D. Peacock, Crosby, or D. C. Peacock, Brainerd.
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FOR SALE—Houses and lots everywhere, for cash and on time. Also see me for every kind of insurance. J. H. Krekelberg, Citizens State bank building.
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FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, White Leg Horn and Plymouth Rock, at 75c a setting of 13, also Indian Runner duck eggs same price. Phone 695-J. 742-270tf

FOR SALE—2 pool tables, 1 billiard table, balls, cues, etc., 4 cash registers, 3 beds, 3 dressers, 12 foot counter and work board. W. T. Larrabee, Ideal Hotel, Brainerd.
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FOR SALE—House and two lots at 510 South 5th street, also Round Oak heating stove No. 20, gas range and White Wyandotte chickens. Phone 438, or call at premises.
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MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand safe. B. Kaatz & Son. 914-29713

WANTED—Canvas tent. Evans Kellogg at Skauge's Drug Store.
916-29813p

SEWING DONE—Inga Jensen, 411 South Fifth street. Telephone 269-R.
911-297112p

NOTICE—Cattle taken to pasture, tame grass, good water. Address Thos Bassett, Route 3, Brainerd.
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head on hand. Jones & Horton.
886-2931f

WANTED—To buy scrap iron. Bring in while prices high. Also all kinds junk. Jones & Horton. 421 Front St.
761-2731f

WANTED—I have customers for residence property and vacant lots. List your property for sale with Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper block.

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856-288-1mo

ANTI-TRUST SUITS WILL BE REARGUED

Washington, May 22.—Anti-trust suits against the United States Steel corporation, the International Harvester company and three other big corporations were ordered reargued by the supreme court. As the court will adjourn for the term on June 11 court officials said it would probably be a year before decisions were rendered. The announcement apparently bears out recent reports opinions in the big anti-trust suits would not be handed down at least until the country could readjust itself to war time conditions. The other cases to be reargued are those against the United Shoe Machinery company and the Lehigh Valley and the Reading railroads and affiliated coal companies, the so called "anthracite coal trust."

TWO NURSES MEET DEATH

Killed During Gun Practice on an American Steamer.

New York, May 22.—Two American nurses, members of an ambulance unit on its way for service in France, were killed on board an American steamer when pieces of a shell fired by a naval gun crew in practice ricocheted from the water's surface and scattered among a group of nurses and surgeons.

A third nurse was seriously hurt. The steamship sailed Saturday evening for Europe. With its flag at half mast it returned to an American port bringing the bodies of the dead nurses. It will depart at an unannounced time.

The accident happened when a gun at the stern was being used. An explanation made by one of the ship's officers was that, when a shell struck the water about 175 feet from the vessel, the centrifugal force caused bits of the steel to fly back on shipboard.

SUBSEA MERCHANT VESSEL INVENTED

Philadelphia, May 22.—The Philadelphia Press publishes a story to the effect that "America has found the perfect answer to the German submarine terror."

It is said to be a merchant submarine, standardized at about 7,500 or 8,000 tons dead weight, of such speed that it can, even when submerged, easily elude any surface pursuer and is nonsinkable.

The craft, the invention of Simon Lake, according to the Press, is capable of submerging in half a minute and has been so standardized and simplified the first one may be turned out in four months and others after that at the rate of three or four a week. It will burn heavy oil.

The vessels are to be built and operated, the story says, by a company under government supervision.

MODERN FIGHTER DONS ANCIENT DRESS.

London, May 22.—More and more the men in the trenches are coming to resemble their armor clad forbears. The latest innovation is a chain mail veil draped from the steel helmet. The invention is that of a London eye specialist. The steel veil hangs from a rod across the helmet front and protects the eyes and face while not interfering enough with the sight to impair the soldier's efficiency.

WARRANT FOR PENNINGTON

Soo Line President Accused in Minot Liquor Fight.

Minot, N. D., May 22.—A warrant was issued here for the arrest of Edmund Pennington, president of the Soo Line, on charges of importing liquor into the state for sale as a beverage and aiding in the alleged sale of intoxicating liquors. Issuance of the warrant is said to have resulted from the stand taken by the Soo Line in the recent anti-vice campaign here. Under the new "bootlegging" law in North Dakota, which was designed to prevent the "aiding or abetting" in the unlawful sale of liquor, one of the charges against Mr. Pennington is made a felony. It was said extradition proceedings will be instituted if the Soo Line head refuses to come into the state voluntarily.

FLAMES SWEEP BROAD PATHWAY

Devastate About Seventy-five Blocks at Atlanta.

MANY FINE HOMES IN RUINS

Fire Starting in an Obscure Negro Section Spreads Rapidly and Causes Property Loss Estimated at Between Two and Three Million Dollars.

Atlanta, Ga., May 22.—Fire starting in an obscure negro section swept a broad path through the residential section of Atlanta, devastating about seventy-five blocks and destroying many of the city's finest homes and hundreds of negro houses.

The flames were checked half way through the exclusive Ponce de Leon avenue residence section and officials believe there is little danger of a further spread.

First estimates of the damage placed it at between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000. So far as can be learned the only life lost was that of a woman who died from shock.

The fire was confined to the northeastern part of the city and the only business houses burned were several warehouses near the point of origin.

A high wind carried the flames northeastward with a speed which soon outran the efforts of the fire department.

Flames Make Rapid Headway.

Within an hour the blaze assumed the proportions of a conflagration and fire officials called in several hundred men from the Fort McPherson officers' training camp to aid in the fight.

Appeals for help also brought fire equipment from a half dozen neighboring cities.

The dramatic struggle with the flames reached a climax when the fire fighters made a stand at Boulevard place and began dynamiting a wide area to protect the Ponce de Leon section.

The effort was only partly successful and an hour later the dynamiters had to begin their work over again two blocks beyond the avenue. A lull in the wind favored their work.

Thousands of homeless are being cared for by a citizens' committee and by the Atlanta Red Cross chapter. Most of them are quartered in public buildings. Officials said there were few persons seriously hurt.

Some of the most serious losses were in the section where dynamite was used, scores of pretty homes in a comparatively new district of the city being blown up.

SLAYER WILL RETURN TO SCENE OF CRIME

St. Paul, May 22.—Joe Redenbaugh, confessed slayer of Mrs. Alice McQuillan Dunn, will be taken to the McQuillan home, where he will re-enact for the police the killing of Mrs. Dunn.

Next he will be taken to the rooming house and there he will show the police the room in which he alleges the "blood money" was paid to him by Mike Moore, who, he says, acted as go between in negotiating for Frank Dunn the murder of the latter's wife.

This was said to be the plan of the St. Paul police, co-operating with the Mill City authorities.

Redenbaugh is held in the Hennepin county jail. Chief of Police O'Connor will go to Minneapolis, it is said, to perfect details of Redenbaugh's tour of the site of his crime in St. Paul.

Thursday, just four weeks after the slaying, the Ramsey county grand jury will be asked to indict Frank J. Dunn on a charge of first degree murder.

New indictments also will be asked for Redenbaugh, Frank McCool, his accomplice, and Mike Moore, it became known.

KILLED WHEN AUTO UPSETS

Two Dead and Two Others Sustain Injuries.

Janesville, Wis., May 22.—Two are dead and two injured as the result of an automobile turning over here.

The dead are Margaret Bell, Johnson, Wis., and Newton Kimball, driver, Lima Center, Wis.

The injured: Isabelle Doyle, school teacher at Lima Center, arm broken, and Gladys Kimball, Lima Center, slightly bruised.

Kimball had increased the speed of his car to escape a gathering storm when it skidded and turned over.

HAWLEY IS TOGA CANDIDATE

Former Governor of Idaho Hopes to Succeed William E. Borah.

Boise, Ida., May 22.—Former Governor James H. Hawley, Democrat, has announced that he will be a candidate to succeed Senator William E. Borah when the latter retires at the end of his present term. Hawley is the only Democrat avowedly in the race and Judge James F. Ailshie of Coeur d'Alene the only Republican.



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